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30. (Confidential - DFM) LIAISON Talked several times during the day with Bill Miller, Staff Director, Senate Select Committee on Intelligence.

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aware of contacts with the staff member. Miller also referred to a Washington Star article on a Soviet spy recently arrested in Iran and asked if this incident was connected with the arrest last year of two other Iranian officials as Soviet spies. Miller indicated Senator Daniel Moynihan (D., N. Y.) was very interested in the Edward J. Epstein book, Legend, and had requested that the Agency make a point by point response to the allegations. Miller also requested any damage assessments on the book. I discussed with Miller the request for a compartmented clearance for [REDACTED] of Senator Robert Byrd's (D., W. Va.) staff. Miller agreed that we could retract compartmented clearances for another staff member already 25X1 representing Senator Byrd in order that we might have only one representative of each Senator on the Select Committee with access to compartmented information.

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✓ 32. (Unclassified - DFM) LIAISON Received a call from Ed Levine, Senate Select Committee on Intelligence staff, who asked me for the figure in the Agency's FY-1979 budget for a particular program. After checking with the Office of the Comptroller, I gave Levine the figure. All of this was done in a manner which did not reveal classified information.

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